

# Chariton Courier.

Keytesville, Mo., Saturday, Aug. 24/78.

Grapes are getting ripe.  
A refreshing shower Tuesday.  
Clothing at cost at R. White's.  
Go to Overstreet for a good shave.  
D. Overstreet is a shaver, and cutter.  
The Miami fair commences next Tuesday.  
Hog cholera is raging in the vicinity of Miami.  
Come on with your subscriptions for the Courier.  
R. White is selling his large stock of clothing at cost.  
Now is the time to get bargains in clothing at R. White's.  
Buy clothing now while you can get it at cost of R. White.  
Salt Creek, Dempsey school-house, October 34, 4th and 5th.  
Miss Phoebe Cousins is advertised to speak at the Marshall fair.  
All kinds of solid gold and silver jewelry made to order by J. L. Potts.  
R. White will sell you a first-class suit of ready-made clothing at cost.  
Dr. J. Hays has located in Dalton to practice his profession. 714-m3.  
A full line of sewing machine needles, oil, &c., just received by J. L. Potts.  
Miss Modoc, of Paris, Mo., is visiting the family of Mr. Wm. E. Hill, of this place.  
A large stock of clothing for sale at R. White's at cost, to make room for new goods.  
The young men Chillicothe have organized a fire company with a membership of 20.  
D. Overstreet shaves for ten cents while some bankers and brokers shave fifteen per cent.  
Take your clocks, watches and jewelry to J. L. Potts and have them repaired and put in good order.  
Go to J. L. Potts and get a pair of those splendid 50 cent specks, such as you pay \$2 for elsewhere.  
A tack point heavenward when it means the most mischief. It has many human imitations. Cincinnati Breakfast Table.  
Wm. Curley, a farm laborer in Davies county, committed suicide last week by shooting himself in the head with a shotgun.  
Our old friends, Pat Moore and Mr. Murphy, of Macon, were in Keytesville Monday.  
Last year we shipped many thousand bushels of apples, but this year we will not have enough for our own use. Sturgeon Leader.  
Mr. William Oldham, an enterprising young farmer of this section, left for St. Joseph, Tuesday of last week. A pleasant trip, Bill.  
The Boone county court has ordered a vote at the November election on the question of refunding the county debt at 6 per cent interest.  
The barn of N. Eaton, near Bucklin, Lin county, was destroyed by fire last week, together with all his farm machinery. No insurance. —Ec.  
Hon. A. Mackay, Sr., went to Chillicothe Tuesday evening, attended the convention Wednesday, and left Wednesday night for Putnam county.  
Man, don't go around with your hair hanging down your back like an Indian squaw, but go to Overstreet and get it cut in the latest style.  
They don't ask a man what he'll take now; they just put the question, "What's your politics—convention or free fight?"—Fulton Telegraph.  
Reynolds county Outlook says: "There are several tax-payers in this county who only properly according to assessments consist of a \$200 dog."  
A man has been found who propose to shoot the yellow fever. He thinks that after firing a few large guns it will go away. We say shoot the man.  
A large delegation from Moberly, Huntsville, Salisbury, Keytesville and Brunswick, went to Chillicothe Tuesday evening. It was a jolly, good crowd.  
The grand stand and amphitheatre on the Moberly fair grounds are being built by Messrs. Murphy and Walden, for which they are to receive \$2,200.  
"Parson" Moore, a negro preacher, and a white man were put in jail last week at Gallatin, charged with stealing \$350 from a chicken-chopper the woods.  
Charles Powell, who was stabbed by Wm. Curtis in Chillicothe two weeks ago, is still in a critical condition, though hopes are entertained that he will recover.  
A. G. Buckley, an old citizen living near Eagleview, fell on the sickle-bar of a reaper last week, and his body was terribly mutilated. His recovery is doubtful.  
Saturday night, the 10th, parties entered Mr. T. J. Preston's dwelling in Trenton and carried off two fine gold watches, besides other jewelry, to the value of \$350.  
Lightning struck the dwelling of Philip Albright, in Sullivan county, Wednesday of last week, tearing off a portion of the roof and knocking his 14-year old son down.  
"A snake with two perfect heads has been captured near Hampton, Platte county."—Miami Index.  
We would rather believe the above than hunt for the proof.  
A number of persons in Holt county, familiar with the notorious Jim Baldwin, of that county, say that he fills the description given of the leader of the Winthrop express robbers. Baldwin has not been seen there for some time.  
The Hon. Briton A. Hill, of St. Louis, will address the citizens of Brunswick, Mo., on September 24, 1878. In behalf of the National Greenback labor party.  
A. G. Brooks, Chariton county, Missouri.

If you want to experience a real interesting slice of sweat, fan and blow, and blow, fan and sweat, just attend a Democratic congressional convention in August, when it reads 100 degrees in the shade.

Mr. D. Wertz, practical piano tuner, is now in Keytesville, and is prepared to do tuning promptly. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Orders left with Mr. Wm. Gaston, Martin & Applegate's drug store, will receive prompt attention.

Persons desiring to enter the departments of the State University at Columbia or Rolla, are required to make known their intention to me on or before Sept. 1, 1878. F. T. DEAN, Clerk County Court Chariton County, Mo.

A report was brought to Kahoka by some lightning rod agents last week, that while they were on the road from Memphis to Archa, Scotland county, in driving around a small bridge that had been washed out, they discovered the corpse of a man suspended from the branch of a tree and upon his back a placard bearing the inscription, "horse thief."

On the 25th of June last, T. G. Houston, of Nevada, bought of Robert Mackey five hogs, weighing 450 pounds, averaging 90 pounds. They were fed six weeks, and on August 12th, sold to Charley Graves, weighing 300 pounds, an average of 180 pounds, or exactly doubling on six weeks feeding. Mr. Houston says the cost of feeding has not exceeded \$5.50.

A short time ago we published the particulars of an attempted rape by one John Develin on a five-year old daughter of Mr. James Long, of Glasgow. Last week Judge Burckhardt sentenced the fiend to twenty years in the penitentiary for the crime. In pronouncing sentence the judge remarked that he regretted that he could not make the punishment greater. If other courts will just follow up the action and disposition of Judge Burckhardt in this case, in the thousands of criminal cases that are docketed, many of which have been worrying along for years, we think the result would be most beneficial to the country.

From Clark Township.  
August 11th, 1878.  
Ed. Courier: Threshing in this neighborhood is about finished. Wheat has yielded about fifteen bushels per acre, of excellent quality. Oats from 30 to 35.

George Ottick and Frank Phillips are going to do blacksmithing in Mr. Ottick's shop this winter, so I am informed.

Frank Clark is going to build a house on his father's farm to put his little wife in. John Pendle talks of doing the job for him. Paul Bennett has sold his reaping machine to Jesse Wilcox.

Mr. R. E. Hicks, of Pike county, Ill., is here on his annual visit; looking after his extensive real estate interests. He will remain two or three weeks. He is stopping at Mr. Mike Cody's.  
Ask a little boy of our neighborhood how he likes to hunt bumble bees. —H.

MURDER.  
[From Cameron Vindicator Extra, Aug. 16.]

At about 11 o'clock today, Friday, our people were startled with the news of one of the most horrible crimes ever committed, and certainly Cameron was never before the scene of a crime half so dastardly. The particulars of the case, so far as we can learn, are as follows:

For a week past George Cameron has been around Cameron, frequently imbibing too much beer, and on Tuesday night last he slept in the room over Mart Chapman's saloon with Charlie Lang. A day or two afterward he told Fred. Reed, with whom he has been acquainted for several years, that he had lost all his money, something over two hundred dollars, and that he did not know who took it unless it was Charlie Lang. He also told other persons that if he was sure that Charlie Lang had taken his money he would kill him. It was not generally known, however, among our people that any money had been lost, and when it was announced this morning that Charlie Lang had been murdered it surprised and horrified the entire population. It seems that the murderer went to the above named saloon and found nobody there but John Chapman, ten years of age, and after waiting a few minutes went up stairs. The boy heard a man went up a few minutes after the man went up. He started up stairs and met the man coming down, with a knife in his hand. After coming down the man ran past the Rock Island depot and across the Hannibal road, and was seen by J. E. Conklin from the depot as he disappeared from view, south of town.

The boy went up stairs and found Lang lying on the floor with his throat cut in seven places, and immediately made known what he had seen. A number of citizens visited the scene shortly after and witnessed one of the most horrible sights imaginable.

On the floor, in a pool of blood, lay the unfortunate man, breathing his last, with seven distinct knife wounds in his throat almost any one of which was sufficient to have killed him; he died within a few moments. From spots of blood in the bed, it was apparent that the first attack had been made while Lang was lying in the bed. As soon as the affair had been made known, a number of our citizens procured horses and started in pursuit of the murderer. A number of persons from Osborn also started during the afternoon, but at this time nothing has been heard from him.

From Mr. Hakes we learn the particulars of Cameron's capture. It seems that after his escape from Cameron he started on foot for Kansas City, following the branch of the H. and St. Joe road. He reached Tarry, a small place between Cameron and Lathrop, Friday night, and slept on the platform, probably intending to take the train for Kansas City in the morning. For some reason he missed it, and again started out on foot. About 9 o'clock yesterday he arrived in Lathrop, and stopped to get a drink of water. Again he started down the track. It was here that a constable named Frank and a constable named John saw him. They got two other men and started after him. When Cameron saw them coming he started to run and finally jumped over a fence into an orchard. The constable then drawing his pistol ordered him to halt. Cameron paid no attention to the command. The officer then fired three shots at him, one passing between his legs, another brushed his head, and a third passing through his coat. Cameron then stopped and gave himself up. He at once acknowledged that he was the man they wanted, and said that if he had not killed Lang he would do the same thing over. He said he had worked hard for his money and to have a man rob him of it was more than he could bear, and that he took his revenge. —Atchison Champion.

Near Big Bethel, Va.  
August 5th, 1878.

EDITOR COURIER:—A run of 10 hours on a nice steamer from Richmond, on the 3d inst., brought me to Old Point, or Fort Monroe. On our way down the river we passed many historic places. James River, at the Wharf at Richmond, is about as wide as the Missouri river is at Glasgow. The largest steamer goes as far as that city but the "falls" in the river there puts an end to navigation except by canal boats.

The river is quite crooked in its course and at one place it makes a bend 7 miles long while across its "narrow neck of land" it is only two hundred yards. During the war Gen. B. F. Butler decided to cut a canal through this strip of land and he certainly toiled faithfully to accomplish it. The war closed and left it incomplete but in after years it was finished and now it is used by all vessels passing up and down the noble James. If you will take a map of Virginia you will find that the James gradually approaches the bay on the north without entering it on that side. About 30 miles (by land) above its mouth, the river and bay are in 10 miles of each other. This narrow piece of land thus runs 30 miles into the water and in many places is not more than 6 miles wide. It is very flat, sandy, and known as the "Peninsula." It is amazing how many people live on it. On the extreme point, is Fortress Monroe.

This is one of the strongest bulwarks of the nation, and was held by the federal forces during the war. Here it was that R. E. Butler planned his first campaign and fought the first battle of the war at Big Bethel Church. The confederates under Magruder had thrown up a few feeble earthworks, and they were held by a few hundred men. Butler sent a subordinate (Gen. Price) to capture them. In the march of his troops in the night they mistook each other for the enemy and gave battle. This seriously demoralized them, the loss being considerable. They then marched on Magruder, who fought them for a few hours at long range, when they retired with very slight loss on both sides. This was near where Gen. Cornwallis surrendered to Gen. Washington and closed the war of 1776. So one closed near the place the other began. I was at the Church on yesterday. It is a neat house, seating 300 persons. The old breastworks are there yet.

Some may wonder why so many people live in so small a territory. But they have small farms and raise vegetables and ship to northern markets. Land is poor, but worth from \$15 to \$40 per acre. They have some advantages here that you never can have. Fish and oysters abound, and the variety of fish. The variety of fish is wonderful, and the people feed on them freely. No fresh water on the globe can furnish such delicacies. Then they have sea-breezes, Jerusalem heat breezes! Such as never fan the cheeks of those in the interior. Game abounds also. Deer, turkeys, quail, rabbits, foxes, coons and opossum are here. They have some disadvantages. A number of diseases, (called chiggers) snakes of all varieties, and cold water. Their wells are not deep, and the water when fresh is about the temperature of the Horse-shoe lake on the 29th of May. Ice is an unknown luxury and is put down among the lost arts.

I noticed some very good outfits at church but many were very rude and would be considered ridiculous in the "Waikiki." Their ways are rather queer, most of them appearing to be on exhibition, and the bone the chief thing to be exhibited.

Politics are becoming interesting now. It would break the government if the people would send all to Congress who are willing to go. In the Richmond District, Gen. Lee Johnson is the most prominent candidate. But he will not make a speech or express his sentiments. He has no opposition. The last time I saw the General he was sitting on a water plug, looking at seven horses drawing three freight cars up Broad street. —H. H.

DALTON FACTS.  
DALTON, MO., August 15, 1878.

EDITOR COURIER:—The primary election passed off very quietly and pleasantly here, and notwithstanding the zeal with which the supporters of various candidates worked there was perfect good feeling during the entire day. We had no Republican votes cast here for we considered the instructions of the central committee such as to exclude such votes, and besides, we regarded the matter as a family contest (regarding the Democracy as one great family), in which we considered it sacrilege to allow outsiders or Republicans to participate.

There was not a drunken man on our streets on the day of the election, and I don't believe there was a quart of whiskey sold here, although the saloon was kept open all day.

Mr. Thos. Beazley, who purchased four hundred and seven thousand pounds of tobacco at this place for Maj. Dupey, of Brunswick, finished pricing on the 9th inst. and left for home. We found Mr. B. a genial and agreeable gentleman, and are sorry that he had to leave us.

Mr. E. E. Samuel has purchased about four thousand bushels of wheat here, which he is shipping to St. Louis.

Miss Jimmie Ewing, residing near Keytesville, is visiting the Misses Moore of this place. Her visit gladdens many hearts, and one, come again, Miss Jimmie.

The little girls, wearing short dresses are assuming considerable style; they catch up their dresses behind when they walk on the street, in imitation of the fashionable fair ones. Don't they Bill?

Miss Rose Moore, the accomplished and blooming belle of Dalton, is visiting friends and relatives near Cambridge.

It is fashionable for the young ladies of this place to go on "Greening expeditions." Is this the time of year for greens?

I wonder how "Jake" did that bottle from Miss—, the day of the picnic?

"You can kiss my hand Jimmie, but don't bite," said a young lady the other evening, while sitting on the stile with her love. —HEBLET.

AUGUST 21st, 1878.

Business is beginning to look up a little in Dalton lately.

Mr. J. B. Hyde received 60 head of nice hogs on Monday the 19th inst., which he purchased of farmers in the surrounding country.

Messrs. Moore and Estes, of Macon county, are buying wheat here, for which they pay the highest market prices. They will receive wheat both at Dalton and Keytesville depots, and farmers will do well to send these gentlemen prior to making disposition of their grain elsewhere.

On the 17th inst., ten or twelve of our citizens congregated near Buddenber's, to discuss politics, crops &c. As to the decision of the questions, I give nothing. I do know that Jack Gibbs, dismissed that assembly very unceremoniously. Call in your friends Jack, you will do for burial. A young gentleman in town says a lady refused to answer his card because he would not ride his horse bare back five miles to make a call. Are you and Jimmie?

County Court.

Judge L. D. Ishell was taken sick on Saturday evening last, in consequence of which he was unable to hold a session of the county court during the past week. It is expected, in consequence of the fact that an adjournment of the circuit court is to be held next week commencing on the 26th of August. The county court has been adjourned to meet the first Monday in September.

Jewelry! Jewelry! Jewelry!

Low down for cash, for the next 30 days. Call and be satisfied. J. L. Potts.

"Has anyone anything to say for the good of the order?" asked the president of the Murphy society of this place, when some pale, cadaverous member, who has to lean against the wall for support, calls in squeaking voice, the name of an outsider whose blood was sufficiently stimulated to arise and encourage the fainting brothers.

Mr. Wm. H. Lewis, of Glasgow, made a flying visit to Dalton on the 20th. No goose cooked yet. —HEBLET.

The Forks.

Will some of the defeated candidates who have plenty of spare time, write up the frauds of the recent primary election, and present them to the public in library form, it will be worth keeping.

The hot weather for some time past, has produced a great deal of sickness throughout the community, the cases being those of Wm. Hart Jr., C. B. Ford and the family of Mr. V. H. Cram, of Shannondale.

Miss Sue E. Allen, is visiting Miss Hodge, of Brunswick.

A little boy named Henry Lane, who has been living with Oscar Wood, died Monday, the 19th. I did not learn the cause of his death.

R. T. Holliday, formerly a citizen of this county, but now of the firm of Holliday & Vandiver, Clinton, Henry county, paid us a visit last week.

Give us a Murphy meeting and let us die happy.

Tobacco cutting is now in order, and the crop is ripening rapidly.

Those poor little disappointed fellows didn't go down to shovel dirt last week, as they expected, after they heard what the coolies were going to have, they concluded to stay and try and persuade them to cook for them up here. "Nobby arrangement."

Mr. W. J. Parks, delegate to the congressional convention, left the first of the week for Chillicothe.

Comrade to Shannondale this evening and see the "Moose" to the "Lafayette." I have \$5.00 "what says they can do it."

Mr. J. R. Whitesides, of Dalton, paid us a visit last Sunday. He says it has been about ten months since he was over. It is queer that he should stay away so long.

Miss Fannie Lay, of Keytesville, is visiting friends near Shannondale.

By request the following piece is sent in "Jake's" report. I wish to say to interested parties, that I am not one of the "bloods," and therefore have nothing to do with it. The "bloods" will be responsible.

"A party of uncouth, narrow-minded, jackasses, through the columns of the Salisbury Press, of last week, tried to 'give away' the 'Kentucky bloods.' Now gentlemen you are slightly mistaken, your attempted jokes were organized by our *Parson* banjo-picking friend, who did it in revenge to something 'Jake' had said, we are not responsible for 'Jake's' capers. It is a well known fact that when Balam could not speak, he got his ass to speak for him, now this is precisely the case with our young *Parson* friend, he gets 'a'."

A defeated candidate for constable in Salisbury township, two or three young ladies, and nine little niggers, all to speak for him through the Press. Well 'Zets,' as you only fill the position of the beast that Balam rode, we will pass you by, but to the gallant young whistling, rapid talking, fast running, banjo-picking, we will say, *ta ta*, but how about "that drive off last Sunday?"

Some of our young ladies suggests that it sounds "so factious" to say Misses of the Forks, why not say Misses of Shannondale? Now I always knew that our girls "kinder had a hankering" after town folks, so just come on you town boys, as Jakes will have to grin and bear it.

Our road boss has taken a sensible view of the matter and is making us good roads now, so they will be settled before winter.

About five months ago he returned from the East (not to be too personal I say East instead of Kentucky) for about three months after he arrived he staid close at home, did not come out, I suppose the society is not good enough for him, don't know what else. Friday he got started, and Oh! heavens, if he saw some on modern affairs, zoot-light music, love, poetry and flowers, he was recently telling one of the fair ones, of Litz, the large handed pianist, when he exclaimed "I tell you, Miss, his hands were as big as mine, and actually played five octaves with one hand!" Poor fellow didn't know the difference between octaves and keys.

JACK.

Tobacco.

EDITOR COURIER: I have been requested to write something on the degrading influence of tobacco; to say anything in denunciation of a habit, or practice, is I think, almost, if not wholly impossible, nor is it necessary for me to say anything in denunciation of the habit of tobacco chewing to convince sensible people that it is useless, injurious to health, ungentlemanly and in direct violation to every law of refinement and culture. I ask the question; What gentleman would think of going into a lady's parlour, and smoking a pipe?

Not one. Yet every day we see gentlemen go into a parlor with a great quid of tobacco in their mouths, and if a young lady objects to their spitting on the floor, or worse, on the wall, they are highly offended, think they have been insulted &c. The habit of tobacco chewing is one gradually acquired, and also hard to acquire. Well do I remember the many hours I have spent alone struggling for the mastery while and spewing a while, going to the house looking like "The last rose of summer, left blooming alone," and feeling like—well I don't know what. But I stuck to it and the consequences are apparent. Twelve years a slave to its use has rendered it almost impossible to break off from the habit.

Smoking is bad enough and more injurious to health, as well as more expensive, but not half so filthy as chewing. Several times in my life I have sworn off, given a way my tobacco and declared I would never put another chew in my mouth, but alas for human weakness! I could not keep my resolution. The desire for strong drink was never more resistless to the confirmed drunkard than was my desire for tobacco.

Young men I would advise you never to contract the habit, or you will surely regret it in after life. Avoid it as you would a sworn enemy. —A CONSUMER.

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Menden.  
AUGUST 20, 1878.

EDITOR COURIER:—I will first state that we had quite an exciting time last Friday night, by the first greenbacking we have had in our quiet town. The brethren tried to show up that they were good, staunch Democrats, but this was altogether too thin for the Menden boys. We understand their radical trick far better than they think we do. After the main speakers got through the boss was so full he could not hold in any longer, so he gave them his ideas and pointed out to them the errors they were mistaken in regard to their ideas of the general financial affairs of the government. The boss did well for so short a notice, and they have their little pieces so well committed and double teamed on him, so they came very near making him believe he ought to join their little band. I thought for a while they had almost converted, I came away in disgust, and saw the boss the next day and he said he came out ahead and did "jine 'em," and thinks he won't.

The M. E. Church is having a series of meetings. Messrs. Gregory, of Triplett, Hawkins, of Brunswick, are the officiating clergymen. Our house is large and roomy and is full every night. Up to the time of writing they have made no effect on the sinners of this community, although they are working hard and earnestly. Hope they will succeed; for we have a great deal of wickedness in this vicinity.

Our sportsmen, in the stud line, are building a race track, will tell you more about it in my next.

Warm weather; is just the thing to mature and ripen our corn. GROWLER.

Notice.  
B. B. Davis, Collector of Courthouse, will meet the tax-payers of the various townships at the times and places herein mentioned for the purpose of receiving the taxes of 1878, viz:

Boo Branch township, Bynumville, September 5th, 6th and 7th.  
Clark township, Westville, September 9th, 10th and 11th.

Muscle Fork township, Oldham school-house, September 12th, 13th and 14th.  
Wayland township, Conrad school-house, September 16th, 17th and 18th.

Salisbury township, Salisbury, September 19th, 20th and 21st.  
Chariton township, Forest Green, September 23d, 24th and 25th.

Missouri township, Richardson school-house, September 26th, 27th and 28th.  
Yellow Creek township, Rothville, September 30th, October 1st and 2d.

Cunningham township, Cunningham, October 7th, 8th and 9th.  
Mendon township, Mendon, October 10th, 11th and 12th.

Brunswick township, Brunswick, October 14th, 15th and 16th.  
Bawling Green township, Dalton, October 17th, 18th and 19th.

Triplett township, Triplett, October 21st, 22d and 23d.  
Keytesville township, Keytesville, October 24th, 25th and 26th. B. B. DAVIS, Collector.

Missouri Fairs—1878.

Fulton, Callaway county.....Aug. 20—5 days  
Miami, Saline county.....Aug. 27—4 days  
Sturgeon, Boone county.....Aug. 27—4 days  
Lafayette, Pike county.....Aug. 27—5 days  
Lathrop, Lewis county.....Aug. 28—4 days  
Marshall, Saline county.....Sep. 3—5 days  
Maryville, Nodaway county.....Sep. 9—5 days  
Fulton (col'd) Callaway county.....Sep. 4—4 days  
Linneus, Linn county.....Sept. 10—5 days  
Farming, Boone county.....Sep. 10—5 days  
Parrington, St. Francois county.....Sep. 10—5 days  
Newark, Knox county.....Sep. 10—5 days  
Greenville, Saline county.....Sep. 10—5 days  
Kirkville, Adair county.....Sep. 11—4 days  
Kansas City, Jackson Co.....Sep. 16—6 days  
Williamstown, Lewis Co.....Sep. 17—4 days  
Nebo, Newton county.....Sep. 18—3 days  
Miles, Sullivan county.....Sept. 18—3 days  
Moberly, Randolph county.....Sep. 24—3 days  
Columbia, (col'd) Boone Co.....Sep. 24—4 days  
Callington, Monticome county.....Sep. 25—4 days  
Appleton City, Cape Girardeau county.....Oct. 1—5 days  
Montgomery City, Montgomery county.....Oct. 1—5 days  
Hannibal, Marion county.....Oct. 1—5 days  
Nevada, Vernon county.....Oct. 2—4 days  
Keytesville, Chariton county.....Oct. 8—5 days  
St. Louis, St. Louis county.....Oct. 7—6 days

The Mother  
Often innocently gives her nursing little one the severest Colic or Cholera Infantum by indulging herself in fruits and vegetables. Parker's Ginger Tonic, taken freely by the mother, will not only counteract the dangerous effect on her babe, but will strengthen her own nervous and physical system, and impart to her little one quiet cheerfulness, freedom from pain, and a disposition to refreshing sleep. It is a most cheering relief from the miseries of Dyspepsia, Headache, Nervousness, Palpitation, Heartburn, Liver disorders, Constipation, Low Spirits and Wakefulness, and the dangerous Cholera Infantum, Cramps, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea and Dysentery are rendered harmless and speedily corrected. Buy from your druggists, Martin & Applegate, a \$1 bottle or a sample bottle at 15 cents and test its merits, row-j-a-z.

Greenback Meeting.

There will be public speaking at the following places, viz:

Brunswick, on Wednesday, August 28th, at 7 o'clock p. m.  
Keytesville, on Thursday, August 29th, at 7 p. m.  
Salisbury, Friday, August, 30th, at 7 p. m.

For the purpose of discussing the political issues of the day, and organizing Greenback Clubs at the above places. Everybody cordially invited, no matter of what political faith.

By order of the Chariton County Central Committee of the National Greenback Labor Party.  
A. G. Brooks, Chairman.

An Astonishing Fact.

A large portion of the American people are to-day suffering from the effects of Dyspepsia and indigestion. The result of these diseases upon the masses of the people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of druggists and your friends and try one bottle of Green's August Flower.

Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold at druggists on the Western continent. 714.

Public Notice.

My customers will please understand that when I send them their account, I want the money and must have it, and they are respectively requested not to ask for more credit until they pay up. C. J. JET.

Liver is King.  
The liver is the imperial organ of the whole human system, and controls the life, health and happiness of man. When it is disturbed in its proper action, all kinds of ailments are the natural result. The digestion of food, the movements of the heart and blood, the action of the brain and nervous system, are all immediately connected with the workings of the Liver. It has been successfully proved that Green's August Flower is unequalled in curing all persons afflicted with Dyspepsia or Liver Complaint, and all the numerous symptoms that result from an unhealthy condition of the Liver and stomach. Sample bottles to try 10 cts. Positively sold in all towns on the Western Continent. Three doses will prove that it is just what you want. 713

An Elegant Preparation  
Designed to meet the public want for a harmless hair dressing and restorative, is found in Parker's Hair Balsam. It acts like magic, commencing at the very roots removes dandruff and all humors from the scalp, and never fails to restore gray or faded hair to its original youthful color and beauty. Falling hair is immediately checked by its use, and it produces a growth of beautiful young hair, soft, glossy and luxuriant, that surprises everyone. These properties added to its exquisite perfume and purity of composition, render it the growing favorite of the toilet table everywhere. Buy a bottle from your druggist Martin and Applegate, and test its merits. row-j-a-z.

Excutor's Notice.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT LETTERS testamentary on the estate of John Galt, Sr., deceased, have been granted me by the Probate Court of Chariton county, bearing date July 23, 1878. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance within one year from the date of said letters or they may be precluded from having any benefit of said estate, and if such claims are not presented within two years they shall be forever barred. 25-26 JOHN A. GOLL, Excutor.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.  
WHEREAS A. J. RECTOR, BY HIS CERTAIN deed of trust, dated the 27th day of May, 1876, and recorded in deed of trust book "K," on page 122, in the Recorder's office of Chariton county, Missouri, conveyed to J. C. Crawley, as trustee, all his right, title and interest in and to the following described real estate, situated, lying and being in the county of Chariton, state of Missouri, to-wit: Sixty-five acres the south part of the south-east quarter of section twenty-three (23), township fifty-three (53), range nineteen (19). Which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes in said deed described, and whereas said notes have become due and remain unpaid, therefore at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust, I will, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1878, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of that day, at the east front door of the court house, in the town of Keytesville, Chariton county, Missouri, proceed to sell the above described property at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said notes, and paying the cost and expenses of executing this trust.

J. C. CRAWLEY, Trustee.  
Keytesville, Aug. 16, 1878.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.  
WHEREAS A. J. RECTOR, BY HIS CERTAIN deed of trust, dated the 31st day of January, 1878, and recorded in deed of trust book "K," on page 122, in the Recorder's office of Chariton county, Missouri, conveyed to J. C. Crawley, as trustee, all his right, title and interest in and to the following described real estate, situated, lying and being in the county of Chariton, state of Missouri, to-wit: Twenty (20) acres the east half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-two (22), township fifty-three (53), range nineteen (19). Which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes in said deed described, and whereas said notes have become due and remain unpaid, therefore at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust, I will, on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH, 1878, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of that day, at the east front door of the court house, in the town of Keytesville, Chariton county, Missouri, proceed to sell the above described property at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said notes, and paying the cost and expenses of executing this trust.

J. C. CRAWLEY, Trust